RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): It was found some years ago that there were serious irregularities in the management of the Municipality and so Government decided to appoint an official President. Now most of the irregularities have been removed and the question whether the Municipality should be given the right of electing a non-official President is under the consideration of Government.

Non-Departmental Anchal Office.

93. ❋ **MR. T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI** (*Tiruvalla III*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether the Anchal Superintendent has received any representation from the representative of the public regarding the opening of a Non-Departmental Anchal Office at Puliyur; and

(*b*) the action taken on the same?

MR. K. MADHAVA KURUP (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The representative (referred to in (*a*)) was told that an office could be opened at Puliyur, if the people of the place were prepared to deposit a sum of Rs. (150) one hundred and fifty as guarantee against loss to Government and to provide building and furniture rent free, for holding the office.

MR. T. P. VELAYUDHAN PILLAI (*Tiruvalla III*): May I know from the Government the date on which the Government or the Anchal Superintendent sent the letter to the representative of the public?

MR. K. MADHAVA KURUP (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): On 22-10-1111. The Anchal Superintendent wrote to the representative.

Pallikal Anchal Office.

94. ❋ **MR. S. J. NAIR** (*Nedumangad*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether there is any Anchal Office at Pallikal in Chirayinkil taluk;

(*b*) whether there was any Anchal Office there;

(*c*) when the Anchal Office there was abolished;

(*d*) whether the people of the locality have petitioned several times for the establishment of an Anchal Office there; and

(*e*) what action the Government have taken to establish an Anchal Office there?

MR. K. MADHAVA KURUP (*Ag. Secretary to Government*): (*a*) No.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) On 1-9-1100.

(*d*) Yes.

(*e*) Steps were not taken for opening an Anchal Office, as no one from the place was willing to deposit the necessary guarantee and provide building and furniture, rent free, for holding the office.

MR. S. J. NAIR (*Nedumangad*): May I know where the Anchal Office was located at Pallikal on a former occasion?

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